IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: TAKEMURA, Sokichi, et al.

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

June 16, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 25, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.